SENATE FINANCE & CLAIMS

	Exhibit No
Amendments to House Bill No.	616 4-12-07
Reference Copy	Bill No. +43 C 16

For the Senate Finance and Claims Committee

Prepared by Jon Moe May 17, 2007 (10:41am)

1. Page 8, line 25 through line 27.

Strike: "The funds" on line 25 through "chapter," on line 27
Insert: "No more than \$316,000 for fiscal year 2008, or 10% for
 succeeding fiscal years, of the amount collected under this
 subsection (4)(b)(iii) may be appropriated by the
 legislature for administration of this chapter. The
 remaining portion collected under this subsection
 (4)(b)(iii) is statutorily appropriated, as provided in 177-502, to the board"

Following: "purses" on line 27
Strike: ","

2. Page 10, line 21 through line 22.

Strike: "to the department" on line 21 through the first "paid" on line 22

Insert: "the funds distributed pursuant to 23-4-302(4)(b)(iii)"

3. Page 10, line 22 through line 25.

Strike: "Money paid to" on line 22 through "industry." on line 25

4. Page 10, line 30.

Following: "(3)"

Strike: "The"

Insert: "Except for funds collected under subsection (1)(c), the"

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Explanation - This amendment limits the statutory appropriation of funds to purposes other than administrative costs. According to 17-1-508, MCA, "a statutory appropriation from a continuing and reliable source of revenue may not be used to fund administrative costs."